

SPRINGFIELD, O.,
April 12, 1887.

**New arrival
Today
At the When
of fine
Globe Cassimere
PANTS,
\$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00.**

**Youths'
Cassimere and Worsted
Cutaway Suits
at
\$13, \$15, \$16 and \$18.**

**Two Hundred
Children's Suits
at
\$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50.**

**Traveling Bags
at
63c, 75c, \$1.25, \$1.50.**

**Boys' Shirt Waists
from
15c to \$1.50.**

OWEN BROTHERS

**Manufacturers of
Clothing
And Retailers
at
Wholesale Prices,
25 and 27
West Main Street.**

**OPENING!
MILLINERY!
All are cordially invited to attend.
MRS. J. H. ARBOGAST,
21 N. Market, bet. Main and Columbia.
NO CARRIAGES.**

**HOHL & LYON
RELIABLE
FOOD PRODUCTS
AND FAMILY SUPPLIES.
The Best Canned and Bottled Goods,
Strictly Pure and First-Class
Goods, at Lowest Prices.
The Late C. T. Ward Grocery,
67 WEST MAIN ST.,
Corner of Center, Springfield, O.
TELEPHONE NO. 32.**

**GOOD HOMES
FOR THE HOMELESS.**
25 Improved KENTUCKY FARMS from 20
to 60 acres, at prices from \$5 to \$50 per
acre. For particulars apply to
JAMES MOORE,
King's Mountain St., Ky.

THE RAILROAD ROBBERS.

Dunlap, the Chief, Makes a Confession.
But the Managers of the Pan Handle
do Not Believe it, in All Respects.

By the Associated Press.
PITTSBURGH, April 12.—The grounds
immediately south of the president's house
presented a pretty picture yesterday.
Thousands of children were gathered there
engaged in the pleasure of Easter egg roll-
ing, a custom which has prevailed in this
city for many years. The participants were
of all ages, sizes and conditions of life,
from paupered child of luxury, with her
French nurse, to the poor pickaninny, with
bare feet. All had eggs boiled and dyed,
and made the air ring with their happy
screams and merry laughter as they rolled
their eggs and sometimes down the grassy
knolls and chased each other across the
lawn. The president enjoyed the specta-
cle very much. His office window opened
directly over the scene and he frequently
passed in and out to gaze upon the
Cleveland spent the morning at her country
house and so failed to see the children at
play.

ASSASSINATION.
The Way Trained On Dry Weather.
DUNSMITH, Tex., April 12.—Jim Chris-
tian, a wealthy cattle man of Huron, I. T.,
arrested a man named Hodge, charged
with theft of cattle yesterday, and while on
his way to Tishomingo with the prisoner,
he was shot and killed by a party of
bandits. The prisoner remained with the
murdered man until assistance arrived, and
it is said he has given the authorities the
names of the assassins, two in number.

TEXAS.
**The Drought Continues—Rainfall Incom-
plete.**
GALVESTON, Tex., April 12.—Drought
continues unbroken. Late advice from
San Antonio and vicinity say that the rain-
fall of Saturday and Sunday in that section
proves insufficient.

Limited Struck.
PITTSBURGH, April 12.—The west-bound
limited express, on the Pittsburgh, Pitts-
burgh & Chicago railroad, struck a shift-
ing engine near the depot in Allegheny
City last night, about 9 o'clock. Both
engines were badly damaged and Engineer
George Hood and Fireman Swann of the
limited, severely but not fatally hurt.
Passengers were not injured.

No "Pinkerton" in Connecticut.
HARTFORD, Conn., April 12.—The state
senate yesterday, in concurrence with the
house, passed the bill described as the
prohibition of Pinkerton detectives. It forbids
the appointment, as special police, within
the state, of any persons, residents of the
state, as constables, policemen, etc.

Bad Williams Done For.
RUTHERFORD, N. J., April 12.—An armed
band of some twenty-five men, from Union
county, stormed the jail here yesterday and
shot to death, in his cell, Bud Williams,
charged with the killing of John Collins,
of New Albany, about one year ago.

The "Wife" Wins.
MARIETTA, Ga., April 12.—At the
special election held yesterday under the
local option features of the Dow law, the
wage carriers the day by a majority of 58
out of a ballot of 385. Owing to the un-
paralleled unanimity in favor of the
prohibition of saloons, this result was
much better for the drys than was ex-
pected.

A Tie Across the Track.
CHICAGO, April 12.—At 3 o'clock this
morning a freight train on the Chicago,
Milwaukee & St. Paul railway was de-
railed near Roselle in consequence of a rail-
road having been placed across the
track. The engine and four cars were
badly wrecked and a brakeman seriously
injured.

St. Augustine on Fire.
ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., April 12.—The
St. Augustine hotel is nearly consumed.
The Edwards hotel is also on fire and the
Florida house and opera house are
likely to go. The county court house and
Vesley's museum were destroyed. The
fire is now under control.

Thirty-Five Families Homeless.
PITTSBURGH, April 12.—A disastrous fire
at Spring Garden broke out yesterday after-
noon destroyed twenty-five frame houses,
rendering thirty-five families homeless. The
loss is estimated at about \$50,000, of which
there is a small insurance.

Railroad Men.
Mr. J. M. Cummings, who has filled the
office of trainmaster on the middle division
of the I. & B. W. is in Indianapolis, and
will likely fill a similar position on the Pe-
oria division of the same road. In such
cases the vacancy here will probably be
filled by Mr. Thomas Reynolds, who is at
present chief train dispatcher.

**The Bee Line has not yet interferred
with the mail route, but it is feared that
the bill made by the Bee Line has not yet
been passed. The freight traffic is all
broken up over it, however. Agent Hoche
is busy trying to secure freight rates under
the new bill.**

On a Democratic Basis.
There is talk of organizing another natu-
ral gas and oil company here at once on a
democratic basis. That is, an organization
in which the shares will be put in such
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THE SHOCKING AFFAIR.

A Party of Explorers Meet With a Miser-
able Disaster.

By the Associated Press.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 12.—A shock-
ing accident occurred in the mine of Cham-
berlain colliery, St. Clair, yesterday after-
noon. Miss Bertha Shaul, of Sharon
Springs, N. Y., a student of Vassar college,
was visiting Miss Minnie Keller, of St.
Clair, a fellow student. The two young
ladies in company with a young man named
Harry Short and Thompson, one of the
operators of the colliery, entered the
mine for the purpose of giving
the operators of the mine, to inspect the
operations of mining coal. The mine had
not been working for a week, and none but
the party of explorers were at the mine.
In an adjacent mine, however, were
Albert Thompson, another of the firm, and
several others, who were making examinations
of the workings. They were startled by
a heavy explosion, and knowing that the
party had entered the other slope, they
hastened there to investigate. About
50 yards from the slope they saw the
corpse of Miss Shaul. She was taken out
as speedily as possible and medical at-
tention obtained. Miss Keller's face
was burned beyond recognition, and her
hair and thick, fractured and ankle-crushed.
She died last evening. Miss Shaul had a
leg badly fractured and was terribly
bruised and burned, but may recover.
Short's head is a mass of cuts and con-
cussions and he is badly burned. He re-
mained unconscious, and his recovery is
doubtful. Thompson is painfully but not
fatally injured.

A PRETTY CUSTOM.
Children Engage in Egg Rolling on the
White House Grounds.

MR. BLAINE'S CONDITION.
Free From Chronic Disease or Weakness,
and Now in Good Health.

St. Louis, April 12.—Mr. R. C. Kerins
and Dr. Mudd of this city, the latter of
whom went to Fort Gibson, Mo., to see
Mr. Blaine, has returned here. Mr.
Kerins stated to an associated press re-
porter that when he and Dr. Mudd left Fort
Gibson Mr. Blaine was getting along nicely
and well on the way to a quick recovery.
The following statement by Dr. Mudd
concerning the condition of Mr. Blaine
today, and ought to allay any apprehen-
sion which may exist that Mr. Blaine
is in any danger or that he is in any
way very weak. It is proper to say, how-
ever, that Dr. Mudd advised Mr. Blaine not
to attempt to travel or to expose himself
unduly for a week. The following is Dr.
Mudd's report:

At 11 o'clock last Saturday morning Mr.
Blaine had a slight fever, the result of gen-
eral nervous prostration, and a slight
cough. The lower margin of the left lung
was covered by a thin layer of pus. The
record of his case as kept by Dr.
Byrne, post-mortem, showed an irregular
but daily rise in temperature, and a
gradual improvement in the condition of
the lungs. The bronchitis rapidly improved
during the next twenty-four hours. There
was during this time no extension of pneu-
monia, and as neither Dr. Byrne, nor I, nor
myself detected any imperfection in the
condition of the patient, we felt that there
was no serious danger.

THE NEW COUNCIL.
It will Organize Tonight. Who Will be
Chairman—Political Complexion of the
Body.

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THE GIGANTIC STEAL.

Interview With Superintendent Ralph
Peters on the Enormous Pan
Handle Peculation.

**How He Discovered It—Devises of the
Employees—Dangers from Intoxi-
cation—A Shocking Chapter
Throughout.**

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THE ORPHEUS DIRECTORS.

Important Session Yesterday. The Rock
Band—A Concert in the Latter Part of
the Evening.

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REHEARSAL AT TEMPERANCE HALL LAST MONDAY
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EDUCATION'S EXPONENTS.

Last Regular Session of the Old School
Board Last Evening—Little
Work Done.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL WAR.

Chapter Third of Fight to Lock Out a
Sunday School in German Township.

**AS CHRONICLED A WEEK AGO IN THE REPUBLIC,
EVERYTHING IS NOT SERENE IN SCHOOL DISTRICT
No. 1, German township, otherwise known as
Lynchville. The school house is also known as the
Baker school house. Parenthetically, it might be men-
tioned that Jacksonville is not in Greene township, as
located by a valuable but erratic contem-
porary. It is out on the Lawrenceville pike,
three or four miles northwest of the city.
Mr. H. H. Baker is one of the directors.
For his father's name is named. He, there-
fore, imagines that he owns the whole
institution. He is, or rather was, partially
sore in the fact that he was
custodian of the front door key, by virtue
of being clerk of the board.**

**FOR THREE YEARS past a very successful
Sunday school has been conducted in this
school house. By many Sunday school
people it is mentioned as the best school in
German township. The average attend-
ance for the month of March, as follows:
Sunday school, 100; German school, 100;
Bible school, 100; and a country day
school, 100. For two or three of the winter
months the school was abandoned. The
Sabbath day school, however, was con-
tinued. The school was a highly respect-
able Christian lady of the vicinity, was
served superintendent and Mr. J. A. Myers,
the well-known Sunday school man of this
city, assistant superintendent. As noted last
week, the school house was found locked
when they came together on the next Sun-
day. But Mrs. Latimer's husband was
himself a director and he had ways of
opening up the building. On last Sunday
the house was again opened. But this time
the weather being fine, no attempt was
made to go inside, and the school was
held in the grove. Mr. Baker claims that
the holding of Sunday school, during the
week day school, but he is represented
by some of his neighbors to be a
highly developed specimen of the staghorn
man. But the women as well as the
children of the district are Sun-
day school people, and the former
were able to show that on
Monday. The occasion was the annual
election of a member of the board. Mr. A.
J. Dilant was the third member of the
board and his true name was out. He was in full
sympathy with the Sunday school move-
ment, and in accord with Mr. Latimer.
Mr. Baker and his partisans attempted to
prevent Mr. Dilant from being a candidate
for re-election, with a Mr. Hinkle. But
the women elected on all day Sunday
and Monday and got out the full voting
enrollment, 21; number of cases of tardiness,
102; perfect in attendance, 1,001; cases of
corporate punishment, 91; referred to prin-
cipal, 16; referred to superintendent, 12;
cases of truancy, 21; cases of non-attendance,
112; by others, 162.**

**MR. MILLER, of the committee on teachers,
and Mr. Latimer, re-read a letter from
the senior class of the high school,
asking the board to request O. W. J.
White, superintendent, to conduct the
commencement exercises next the class of
1887. The committee reported that they
saw no reason for annulling the services of
Prof. White, as he is no longer identified
with the school. The board accepted
A. E. Taylor is amply able to fulfill the
duties of the time and place. The report was
accepted.**

**CLERK CUSHING'S bill for 800 qrs. quarter's
salary and expenses, was a lower.
Mr. Martindell, of the finance committee,
called the attention of the board to the
fact that the insurance of the eastern build-
ing in the sum of \$5,000 expires today.
He did not believe it advisable to re-insure
the building, as it was soon likely to pass
into the hands of a new owner, and the
insurance of the eastern building as a school build-
ing. Mr. Kelley moved that a diminished
amount of insurance, \$2,500, be taken out
on the eastern building. The board ac-
cepted.**

**MR. BELL, of the committee on rules, read
a communication from the various build-
ing committees, that rule 22 of the
building rules be changed so as to allow the
teachers to form the pupils in lines on the
outside of the buildings, if deemed desir-
able by the principals. The committee re-
ported in favor of having it changed.
Carried.**

**MR. HOLDEN, of auditing committee,
reported correct late monthly reports of
the clerk. Adopted.**

**MR. COLES presented the bill of C. C.
Frost, for ten long-eared clocks for the
eastern building. Ordered paid.**

**Same presented bill of Andrews, Wise
& Putnam, \$87.70, for supplies. Ordered
paid.**

**MR. COLES, as chairman of the supplies
committee, presented the committee's re-
port for the month, as follows:
Amount expended for supplies at Central
building, \$6.47; Clinton street, \$35.81;
Grady street, \$16.45; Eastern, \$16.45;
Diet Hill, \$14.59; Lagonda, \$26.16; North-
western, \$25.29; North street, \$2.52; Oakland,
\$6.64; Pleasant street, \$35.11; Southern,
\$22.81; Shaffer street, \$37.25; Western,
\$18.25; York street, \$2.52. The com-
mittee suggested that a definite amount be
set aside for the purchase of supplies for
each building, which would have a tendency
to still further reduce the expense.**

**MR. RIDGELY presented the first estimate
of J. D. Ross & Co., of actors, for the
Fair street building, \$59.90, and moved it
be adopted. Carried.**

**MR. MARTINDELL, of the fuel committee,
presented bills of P. M. O'Neil, coal and
kindling, \$34.88; Andrews, Wise & Put-
nam, \$87.70; and others, \$1.45. The com-
mittee suggested that a definite amount be
set aside for the purchase of supplies for
each building, which would have a tendency
to still further reduce the expense.**

**MR. MILLER called attention of the board
to the unreliable character of the clerk,
and thought a practical
watchman ought to be hired to keep it in
order. Mr. Martindell moved that some-
body be employed to take care of "her."
Adopted.**

**A NEW METHOD Addition to the City.
Mr. J. Henry Gardner, of Flint, Mich.,
late of Detroit, arrived in the city yester-
day to assume the directorship of the
Champion City Military band, recently or-
ganized by W. N. Whitney. Mr. Gardner
is probably the best-known band-leader in
Michigan, and his band at Flint is called the
best in the state. It is the organization
which always accompanies the Detroit
Knights Templar on their trips. Mr. Gar-
ner is a brother of Mrs. L. M. Harris of
this city, and is quite an addition to our
local musical circles. The above band is soon
to be strengthened by four more solo play-
ers from Mr. Gardner's Flint band, who are
coming here to work in the shops. Mr.
Gardner will, however, give his entire time
to the band.**

**FELL OFF THE TRAIN IN A FIT.
Claude Craig, a young boy, jumped onto
an east-bound I. & B. W. freight yesterday
in the west end and attempted to jump off
at Plum street, but fell in a fit to which he
is subject. He was taken to his home on
north Plum street in a wagon. This is the
same boy that was kicked or fell off an I.
B. & W. passenger some weeks ago and the
brakeman came near being arrested for his
part in the affair.**